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Autumn, 1915

FRANKEN BROS.
DEERFIELD, ILL.

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SUPPLEMENT

TO

FRANKEN BROTHERS'

AUTUMN CATALOGUE

1915

In this supplement we offer an unsurpassed collection of the choicest **DUTCH BULBS** for autumn planting.

As these varieties are not yet sufficiently well-known to warrant us in carrying them in open stock, we import them to order only, and such orders we receive only until

JULY 25th, 1915

In our general catalogue, sent herewith, may be found those standard varieties which we carry in stock in the season and which may be ordered **at any time.**

Patrons who wish to order bulbs from both supplement and catalogue are advised to include the whole in one order before July 25th. We allow a discount of 5 per cent on all such orders if accompanied by cash.

FRANKEN BROTHERS,

DEERFIELD, ILLINOIS

NARCISSI, OR DAFFODILS

Narcissi are probably the favorite flowers of the garden in early spring, and by proper selection of varieties the blooming season will reach from March until early May. Of the easiest culture in both house and garden, the massive trumpets of the Ajax section or the dainty blooms of the smaller varieties are alike satisfactory. The varieties named below are a selection of the best to be had in all classes.

LARGE TRUMPET NARCISSI

	Per doz.	Per 100
Cornelia. uniform soft yellow, with broad perianth and well-expanded large trumpet	$2.50	$20.00
Fairy, light yellow perianth; dark golden trumpet. A very dainty flower	1.20	9.00
Glory of Leiden. Perianth and trumpet both yellow. Enormous flower of great substance	1.20	9.00
J. B. M. Camm. Frilled trumpet of creamy yellow; white perianth. Elegant, large flower	.40	3.00
King Alfred. Exceedingly large and beautiful flower of rich, chrome-yellow. New, rare and fine	4.50	35.00
Madame de Graaf. Practically a pure white flower, and one of the most beautiful daffodils grown	1.20	9.00
Mrs. Thompson. Creamy white perianth; pale lemon trumpet, elegantly frilled and passing to white. Strong grower	.30	2.00
Mrs. Walter T. Ware. White perianth; deep golden yellow trumpet. Perfect shape	.30	2.25
Princess Ida. White perianth; creamy white trumpet, margined soft lemon-yellow. Very lovely	.50	4.00
Silver Spur. Creamy white, broad perianth golden yellow trumpet. The earliest bicolor	.60	4.50

MEDIUM TRUMPET NARCISSI

Ariadne. *Leedsi.* Ivory white, with pale amber cup, beautifully frilled	.95	7.00
Bridesmaid. *Leedsi.* Pure white perianth; fluted cup, edged primrose	.60	4.50
Cassandra. *Poeticus.* One of the very finest of the Poet s Narcissi	1.20	9.00
Duchess of Westminster. *Leedsi.* White perianth; soft canary cup. Large flower of exquisite beauty	1.20	9.00
Firebrand. *Barri.* Perianth creamy white; cup intense fiery red. One of the brightest of all	.80	6.00
Flora Wilson. *Barri* White perianth; cup bright yellow, stained orange. A lovely daffodil	.40	3.00
Gloria Mundi. *Incomparabilis.* Primrose perianth; large frilled cup deepening to orange-red. Beautiful flower	1.20	9.00
Katherine Spurrell. *Leedsi.* Broad white perianth; cup soft yellow. A flower of great beauty	.40	3.00
Lucifer. *Incomparabilis.* Perianth sulphur white; cup brilliant orange-red. A bold, showy flower	1.30	10.00

	Per doz.	Per 100
Red Star. *Incomparabilis.* Creamy white perianth; intense scarlet cup. Elegant and showy	1.00	7,50
White Lady. *Leedsi.* Broad, white perfect perianth; small cup of pale canary. New and exquisite	1.20	9.00
POETAZ OR TRUMPET-FLOWERED NARCISSI		
Alsace. Broad, large flower; pure white with yellow eye	.70	5.00
Ideal. White, with dark orange eye. Usually 6 flowers in truss	.75	5.50
Irene. Sulphur-yellow, orange eye. Usually 8 flowers	.60	4.50
Jaune a Merveille. Yellow, with golden eye. The largest yellow variety	1.50	12.00
Klondyke. Perianth yellow, with deep golden eye. The deepest yellow	1.50	12.00
Triumph. Pure white, with deep yellow eye. The largest flower of the family	.80	6.00

DARWIN TULIPS

In modern times no tulips have aroused the admiration that has been accorded to the Darwins. Vigorous in growth, with larger flowers and longer stems than any others, and at the same time exhibiting the most clear, delicate and beautiful colors of the family. In the garden they show best planted in groups or clumps of ten or more of one variety, and they need not be disturbed for several years. They bloom from the middle to last of May long after most other Holland bulbs have passed. For house decoration, where soft colors and long stems are required, they are simply unrivalled.

	Per doz.	Per 100
Anton Roozen. Bright rose-pink, edged pale rose	.35	2.50
Ariadne. Brilliant rosy crimson, shaded scarlet, blue base	.60	4.00
Centenaire. Rich violet-rose, with large blue center	1.20	9.00
Edmee. Brilliant shade of cherry-rose, edged soft old-rose	.55	4.00
Electra. Grayish white, flushed soft lilac. Beautiful pale sort	.70	5.00
Erguste. Heliotrope, flushed silvery white. Darker inside	.55	4.00
Fanny. Clear, rosy pink, white center marked blue	.40	3.00
Farncombe Sanders. Brilliant cerise-scarlet, white center	.50	3.50
Faust. Satiny purple-maroon, with blue base	1.20	9,00
Flamingo. Uniform, soft shell pink. Distinct and lovely color	.95	7.00
Jubilee. Bright blue-purple, with white base marked blue	2.25	17.00
King Harold. Deep ox-blood red. Large flower of fine form	.40	3.00
La Tulipe Noire. Deep, velvety maroon-black. Superb	1.20	9.00
Leonardo da Vinci. Shining maroon-purple, with white center	.40	3.00
L'Ingenue. Delicate rose with broad border of blush white	1.20	9.00
Madame Krelage. Bright lilac-rose, edged silvery rose	.40	2.75
Massachusetts. Glowing pink, edged rosy white. White center	.50	3.50
Mrs. Cleveland. Soft flesh-white, suffused old-rose	.50	3.50
Nauticas. Silky, purplish rose, center dark violet	.35	2.50
Painted Lady. Creamy white, faintly tinged soft heliotrope	.40	3.00

	Per doz.	Per 100
Philippe de Commines. Velvety maroon-purple. Large, fine flower	.40	3.00
Prince of the Netherlands. Glowing cerise-scarlet, blue base	2.50	18.00
Princess Elizabeth. Beautiful, clear, deep pink, changing to delicate rose	.70	5.00
Professor Rauwenhoff. Bright cherry-red with brilliant blue base	.60	4.50
Psyche. Rich rose, edged soft rose. Pale blue base	.55	4.00
Reverend Ewbank. Delicate lavender with silvery gray flush	.55	4.00
Sophrosyne. Very soft, rosy lilac, flushed silvery white	1.50	12.00
Suzon. Soft buff-rose, margined delicate blush. Blue and white center	.60	4.50
Tak van Portvliet. Glowing, rosy scarlet, with blue base	.40	3.00
Zulu. Rich, velvety purple-black. Large, egg-shaped flower	.80	6.00

COTTAGE OR MAY-FLOWERING TULIPS

Large, handsome tulips, blooming at about the same time as the Darwins, but differing enough from them and other late tulips to make them very desirable. They are especially rich in beautiful shades of yellow and are more permanent in the garden than many others.

	Per doz.	Per 100
Avis Kennicott. Large chrome-yellow flower; velvety black base	.70	5.00
Doris. Soft rosy lilac, flushed silvery gray, with blue base	.40	3.00
Fairy Queen. Soft rosy lilac, margined amber yellow. Very large and fine	.40	3.00
Inglescomb Yellow. Glossy canary-yellow. The "Yellow Darwin"	.60	4.00
Leghorn Bonnet. Soft primrose; large flower, slightly reflexed	.35	2.50
Mrs. Moon. Rich, golden yellow; large, beautiful flower	.60	4.50
Miss Willmott. Primrose, darkening with age. Exceptionally handsome	.60	4.50
Moonlight. Soft, luminous canary yellow; long, oval flower	1.00	8.00
The Fawn. Pale, rosy fawn, changing to creamy blush. Exquisite	.50	3.50
Union Jack. Light violet, feathered purple and white. Blue center	1.20	9.00
Vitellina. Primrose, turning creamy white with age. A large and lovely flower	.50	3.50
York and Lancaster. Creamy white and carmine-rose. An improved Isabella	.25	1.75

BREEDER TULIPS

The Breeders are tulips which equal in size and height the Darwins, and flower at about the same time. They have, perhaps, the most unique coloration of all tulips. Soft self-colors in buffs, browns, bronzes, etc., abound, and they are also agreeably fragrant. We heartily recommend them to all lovers of artistic colors in flowers.

	per doz.	Per 100
Bronze Queen. Soft buff, tinged inside with golden bronze	.90	6.50
Cardinal Manning. Dull wine-red, flushed rosy bronze	.50	3.50

	Per doz.	Per 100
Chestnut, (La Nuit). Very dark chestnut-brown, almost black	.50	3.50
Dom Pedro. Coffee brown, with narrow edge of golden brown	2.25	17.00
Fairy. Reddish mahogany, with bronze shading. Very large	.80	6.00
General Ney. Dull old-gold, with olive base. Soft, artistic color	.90	7.00
Godet Parfait. French purple, with white base. Very tall	.90	7.00
Jauno d'Oeuf. Ruddy apricot, with golden edge. Attractive	.50	3.50
La Singuliere. Silvery white, margined dark maroon crimson	.95	7.00
Lucifer. Clear orange, with rosy flush and olive base	1.20	9.00
Medea. Deep lilac purple, white base, with blue halo	.40	3.00
Prince of Orange. Orange-scarlet, edged lighter red	.80	6.00
Velvet King (Dreadnaught). Dark, glossy purple-black. Enormous flower	2.00	15.00
Yellow Perfection. Light bronze-yellow, edged golden yellow	1.10	8.00
Fine Mixture, various colors	.50	3.00

REMBRANDT TULIPS

The new race of late tulips have been bred from the Darwins and may be best described as striped, flamed and feathered Darwins. They are very handsome, and their elegant markings place them in a class by themselves. Our varieties have been awarded certificates in European horticultural exhibitions.

	Per doz.	Per 100
Caracalla. White, flamed and feathered carmine red	.60	4.50
Eros. Soft lilac, feathered dark violet	.55	4.00
Hebe. Lilac and white, flamed dark brown	.55	4.00
La Coquette. Violet, flamed dark purple and white	.70	5.00
Marco Spado. White, flamed carmine-red. Large flower	.90	6.50
Quasimodo. White, feathered bright crimson	.55	4.00
Semele. Vivid rose, striped dark; large flower	.45	3.50
Vesta. Lilac, striped and flamed dark carmine	.40	3.00
Victor Hugo. Brilliant carmine-red, feathered and flamed white	.70	5.00
Fine Mixture. Various colors	.40	3.00

BYBLOEM AND BIZARRE TULIPS

These are the descendants of the old Dutch florist's tulips, famous in history. Flamed, feathered and striped in several contrasting colors, and the most perfect in shape among tulips, they attract attention instantly. They bloom with the Darwins.

	Per doz.	Per 100
Athalia. *Bybloem.* White, bordered and feathered bright rose. Beautiful	.45	3.50
Black Boy. *Bizarre.* Yellow, flamed and feathered dark brown	.70	5.00
Glory of Holland. *Bybloem.* Pure white, bordered and feathered violet	.80	6.00
Jupiter. *Bizarre.* Yellow, flushed and flaked mahogany red	1.20	9.00

	Per doz.	Per 100
Lady Stanley. *Bybloem.* White, striped and featnered dark violet	·45	3.50
Le Duel. *Bizarre.* Dark coffee brown, feathered bright yellow	.80	6,00
Roi des Cerises. *Bybloem.* White, feathered bright wine red	.70	5.00
Romeo. *Bizarre.* Bright yellow; feathered and bordered orange-red	.50	4.00
Vondel. *Bybloem.* White, striped and feathered dark and light violet	1.20	9.00
Fine Mixture. Various colors	.40	2.50

SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

Nothing quite equals for brilliance and gayety the early single tulips, either for forcing for the house or early garden display. These rare and choice sorts will give great satisfaction.

	Per doz.	Per 100
Brilliant Star. Dazzling vermilion-scarlet; large and fine	.60	4.50
Flamingo. Carmine-rose, with white stripe through petals	.55	4.00
Grace Darling. Bright bronze-scarlet. Brilliant and effective bedder	.50	3.50
Jeannette. Crimson red, edged old rose. Handsome and distinct	.40	3.00
Jenny. Silky carmine-rose, faintly flushed white. Large and beautiful	.35	2.50
La Reine Maximus. White, faintly flushed pale rose. Large and fine	.50	3.50
La Remarquable. Brilliant claret-purple, edged and tipped old-rose	.55	4.00
Le Matelas. Glistening pink, tipped and flushed creamy white	.35	2.50
Maes. Dazzling scarlet, darker inside. Perfect shape	.30	2.25
President Cleveland. Creamy white, bordered delicate rose. Enormous flower. The pink "Joost van Vondel"	1.75	14.00
President Taft. A darker sport from Pres. Cleveland. The rose feathering is deeper in color. Very large and handsome	1.20	9.00
Rising Sun. Very deep golden yellow. Very large and handsome	1.20	9.00
Sir Thomas Lipton. Dark scarlet. Large cup shaped flower	.50	3.50
Van der Neer. Dark magneta-purple: large and beautiful	.55	4.00

DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS

Double Tulips are very showy and last longer in flower than the singles. They also bloom somewhat later in the season. The newer varieties are very beautiful and striking.

	Per doz.	Per 100
Boule de Neige. Pure white; large, full flower like a peony	.50	3 50
Golden King. Soft canary-yellow, shaded deeper. Large and beautiful	1.20	9.00
Lac van Haarlem. Brilliant rosy violet. Large and very double	.60	4.50
Lord Beaconfield. Brilliant rosy carmine. Large and distinct	.40	3.00
Lord Roseberry. Delicate light pink. Very clear and fresh color	.30	2.00
Rose d'Amour. Pale flesh rose; very lovely color and distinct shape	.50	3.50
Schoonord. Very large and full flower of the purest white	.50	3.50

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We will greatly appreciate the courtesy if you will kindly send us below the names and addresses of a few of your friends who are interested in flowers and gardening.

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Franken's Special Selected Exhibition Bulbs.

To those who desire the largest, most numerous and perfect flowers for exhibition purposes, we offer a limited number of single varieties only, our selection from the following list. They are the very cream of our crop and may be relied upon to produce the best obtainable results.
Price, $1.50 per dozen. Three of a kind at dozen rates.

STANDARD SINGLE HYACINTHS.

Strictly First-Size Selected Bulbs.

Early Varieties Marked †

Red, Pink and Rose.

Cardinal Wiseman, bright rose-pink; large spike; fine for pots.
Lady Derby, one of the finest pinks, per dozen $1.20, per 100, $9.00.
†**Garibaldi,** rich, glossy crimson, fine for early forcing.
†**General Pelissier,** intense deep crimson-scarlet, easily forced.
†**Gertrude,** deep rose; large compact truss. Splendid and popular variety.
†**Gigantea,** blush-pink; very large truss. Reliable.
Jacques, beautiful shade of pink; very large truss.
Moreno, beautiful, lively pink; large truss; fine for pots.
Roi des Belges, crimson-scarlet. Brightest and most popular red for bedding.

Single Pure and Blush-Tinted White.

Agnes Christina, pure white; splendid bedder.
†**Albertine,** pure white; an easy variety to force.
†**General Vetter,** blush-white. Largest truss of all whites.
Grandeur a Merveille, finest blush-white. Large truss. Most popular in this shade
†**La Grandesse,** this is the finest pure white, finely shaped truss, magnificent. Per dozen, $1.20; per 100, $9.00.
La Franchise, creamy-white, large bulb; good bedder.
†**L'Innocence,** the most popular pure white. Always produces good flowers. Price $1.20 per dozen; $9.00 per hundred.
Mme. van der Hoop, pure waxy white; large bells, fine for indoors or bedding.

Single Light and Dark Blue.

†**Competitor,** light and delicate blue; large and perfect flowers. Per dozen, $1.10, per 100, $8.00.
Enchantress, beautiful porcelain-blue; one of the very finest. Price per dozen, $1.20; per 100, $9.00.
Grand Maitre, deep sky-blue; large and fine truss. Very popular.

†**King of the Blues,** rich, dark blue. Finest of the deep blue varieties.
Marie, dark, purple-blue, good bedder and forcer.
Queen of the Blues, unusually bright porcelain-blue; unrivalled for pots.

Single Yellow.

Buff Beauty, new. Buff orange-yellow; enormous truss.
King of the Yellows, rich, deep yellow: one of the best in its color.
Yellow Hammer, most popular of the golden-yellows.
Price of Standard Single Hyacinths, *except where noted,* $1.00 per dozen; $7.50 per 100.

STANDARD DOUBLE HYACINTHS.

Red and Rose.

Bouquet Royal, salmon-pink, darker center.
Chestnut Flower, delicate rose-pink. Resembles bloom of the horse chestnut.
President Roosevelt, bright, lively pink; very large truss.

White.

†**Double La Grandesse,** splendid snow-white; finest of the color. $1.20 per dozen, $9.00 per 100.
La Tour de Auvergne, pure white; very early.
Princess Metternich, blush-white, one of the best.

Light and Dark Blue.

†**Bloksberg,** bright porcelain-blue, shaded dark blue.
Garrick, deep azure-blue, large spike.
General Kohler, bright blue; specially fine for pots.

Yellow.

†**Goethe,** orange-yellow.
†**Jaune Supreme,** deep yellow.
Sunflower, splendid buff-yellow; finest of the color.
Price of Standard Double Hyacinths, *except where noted,* $1.10 per dozen; $8.00 per 100.

SELECT SECOND-SIZE HYACINTHS.

Fully equal to those usually sold as First-Size.

The varieties we carry in this size are the same as those of our Standard List which may be used in selecting names and colors.

	Per doz.	Per 100
Single Varieties	$ .65	$4.75

REGULAR BEDDING HYACINTHS.

We offer these in separate colors, but not under names, although they are composed of named varieties only.

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Shades of Red, Pink and Rose	$ .45	$3.25	$30.00
Shades of Light and Dark Blue	.45	3.25	30.00
White and Blush-White	.45	3.25	30.00
Mixed, all Colors and Shades	.40	3.00	28.00

DUTCH ROMAN OR MINIATURE HYACINTHS.

Single Varieties Only.

These are fine for growing in pots, pans and flats. Varieties wanted may be selected from our Standard List, or we will make a mixture of all colors. Although the bulbs are not large they are well matured and will make a splendid display, as they may be planted quite closely together.

Separate Named Varieties	$ .30	$2.20	$21.00

We sell all Hyacinths 6 or more of a kind at dozen rates, 25 or more of a kind at 100 rates, 250 or more of a kind at 1000 rates.

DARWIN TULIPS.

The following varieties are fine examples of "The Queen of All Tulips" and well illustrate their delicate and beautiful colors, great size and vigorous growth. Those who have never tried the Darwins will not fail to be pleased in making a selection from this list.

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Baronne de la Tonnaye. Bright rose, margined blush rose; large, cup-shaped flower	$ .30	$2.25	$20.00
Carminea. Glowing crimson-rose	.30	2.00	18.00
Clara Butt. Clear pink, flushed salmon-rose. One of the most beautiful	.25	1.75	16.00
Claude Gillot (Glow). Dazzling vermilion-scarlet; white base. Very handsome	.40	2.75	26.00
Dream. Soft, delicate lilac; deeper inside. Large and fine	.40	3.00	28.00
Europe. Glowing salmon-scarlet, shaded rose; white base	.35	2.50	23.00
Flambeau. Brilliant, rosy scarlet; blue center	.35	2.30	22.00
Gretchen (Margaret). Silvery, pale rose, flushed white; inside soft pink. A delicate, beautiful color	.25	1.30	12.00
Kate Greenaway. Pale lilac, flushed white; late	.30	2.25	20.00
La Candeur (White Queen). The nearest pure white of any Darwin. Showy black anthers	.35	2.60	25.00
Loveliness. Satiny carmine-rose. Good size and fine shape	.35	2.50	24.00
Le Negre (Negro). Silky, shining maroon, nearly black	.35	2.50	24.00

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
May Queen. Soft lilac-rose. Long, large flower	.30	2.20	21.00
Pride of Haarlem. In some respects the finest Darwin ever raised. A superb flower of brilliant rosy carmine with blue center	.35	2.60	25.00
Wedding Veil. White, delicately flushed with pale lilac	.35	2.60	25.00
Darwins, in fine mixture	.25	1.50	14.00

MAY-FLOWERING OR COTTAGE TULIPS.

Fine late tulips, mostly of English origin. They are very different from the Darwins and other late kinds and are very popular and desirable. They are especially rich in yellows.

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Bouton d'Or. Deep chrome-yellow, with black anthers. Fine for cutting	$ .25	$1.60	$15.00
Caledonia. Orange-scarlet, with yellow base	.25	1.50	14.00
Gesneriana lutea. Deep yellow; a flower of perfect form and large size	.25	1.75	16.00
Gesneriana spathulata. Rich crimson-scarlet, with brilliant blue base. Large flower and one of the best	.25	1.75	16.00
Golden Crown. Yellow, bordered and feathered orange-scarlet	.25	1.30	12.00
Inglescombe Pink. Soft, rosy pink, with salmon flush, deepening in color as flower ages. Superb	.30	1.90	18.00
Isabella (Shandon Bells). Creamy white, shaded carmine-rose	.25	1.20	11.00
La Candeur (Parisian White). Pure, silvery white, changing to soft rose with age	.30	1.90	18.00
La Merveille. Orange-scarlet, flushed salmon-rose, with yellow center. One of the largest	.25	1.20	11.00
Parisian Yellow. Bright yellow, with darker yellow center; large, pointed flower	.25	1.75	16.00
Picotee (Maiden's Blush). Snowy white, bordered with a line of soft pink on edges of petals. A graceful and elegant tulip	.25	1.40	13,00
Cottage Tulips, in fine mixture	,25	1.20	11.00

PARROT TULIPS.

The planting of Parrot Tulips is increasing yearly. Their gorgeous colors and fantastic forms are certainly attractive. Their laciniated petals are unique among tulips. They may be planted quite closely, as their habit of growth is not so strong as other varieties. They bloom in May.

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Admiral de Constantinople. Bright scarlet, shaded orange. Very showy	$ .25	$1.30	$12.00
Cramoisi Brillant. Rich blood-crimson, with black markings; large and effective	.25	1.30	12.00

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Lutea major. Clear yellow, with a few crimson and green stripes	.25	1.30	12.00
Perfecta. Extremely showy. Broad stripes of yellow, scarlet and green	.25	1.30	12.00
Markgraaf von Baden. Orange, feathered purple and green; inside orange yellow	.25	1.50	13.00
Select mixed. Various colors	.20	1.10	10.00

SINGLE EARLY TULIPS.

Highest Grade Only. Carefully Hand-Picked.
Those marked * are best for forcing.

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Artus. Bright, deep scarlet	$ .20	1.00	9.00
***Belle Alliance.** Brilliant crimson-scarlet; large and fragrant	.30	1.50	14.00
Chrysolora. Clear golden yellow; large, globular flower	.25	1.30	12.00
***Cottage Maid.** Carmine-pink and white	.25	1.20	10.00
Couleur Cardinal. Brilliant cardinal red; fine, large flower	.30	1.80	17.00
***Cramoisi Brillant.** Glowing scarlet; large and perfect form	.25	1.30	12.00
Duchesse de Parma. Deep orange-maroon, bordered deep yellow	.25	1.30	12.00
***Joost van Vondel.** Cherry-red, feathered white. A beautiful tulip	.30	1.70	16.00
***Keizerkroon.** Bright crimson-scarlet, edged gold. Very tall and striking	.30	1.90	18.00
***King of the Yellows.** Deep golden yellow; early, long stems	.25	1.40	13.00
***Lady Boreel.** Snowy white; largest and finest of all white tulips	.40	2.75	26.00
La Riante. Bright rosy pink, tipped with white; fine bedder	.30	2.00	18.00
***La Reine.** White, flushed rose. Popular for forcing	.20	1.00	9.00
***Mon Tresor.** Rich, deep yellow; large flower of fine shape	.30	1.70	16.00
Ophir d'Or. Bright, clear yellow; large flower. Good bedder	.30	1.60	15.00
Pink Beauty. Brilliant cherry-rose; white stripe in center of petals. The handsomest dark pink bedding tulip	.50	3.50	34.00
***Pottebakker White.** Good early white for forcing	.30	2.00	18.00
Princesse Marianne. White, shaded rose	.20	1.10	10.00
Prince of Austria. Brilliant orange-scarlet; large and showy	.30	1.50	14.00
***Proserpine.** Silky carmine-rose; white center marked blue. Large, beautiful tulip	.40	3.00	28.00
***Queen of the Netherlands.** Soft, pale rose, flushed white. Large flower of superb form	.30	1.70	16.00
Rose Grisdelin. Rose and blush-white	.20	1.00	9.00
***Rose Luisante.** Brilliant, deep rose-pink and white. Beautiful bedder and late forcer	.30	2.00	19.00

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Thomas Moore. Dull, rosy terra-cotta, shading to orange-yellow	.20	1.10	10.00
Verboom. (Pottebakker Red). Fine scarlet	.25	1.60	15.00
***Vermilion Brillant.** Very bright, glistening scarlet. Large and perfect	.30	2.00	19.00
***White Hawk.** Beautiful, pure white; large and perfect	.30	1,90	18.00
White Swan. Pure white; large, oval flower. Late	.20	1.20	11.00
***Yellow Prince.** Bright, golden yellow, fragrant flower	.20	1.20	11.00
Superfine Mixture, from named varieties only	.20	1.10	10.00

DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS.

Alba Maxima, pure white	.25	1.30	12.00
Couronne d' Or, golden yellow	.30	2.10	20.00
Imperator rubrorum, rich scarlet	.30	1.90	18.00
La Candeur, white	.25	1.20	11.00
Murillo, superb light pink	.25	1.20	11.00
Tournesol, scarlet, edged yellow	.30	2.20	20.00
Tournesol, Yellow, bright yellow	.30	2.20	20.00
Salvator Rosa, beautiful rose	.25	1.60	15.00
Superfine Mixture, from named varieties	.25	1.10	10.00

PLEASE NOTICE.

We will sell six or more tulips of one variety at the dozen rate, 25 or more st the 100 rate, 250 or more at the 1000 rate.

Narcissi or Daffodils

These lovely, graceful flowers are simply indispensable for the garden in Spring and also for growing in pots for the house or conservatory. Their cultivation is so easy and their price so reasonable that they should be planted generously. They are all hardy with the exception of the polyanthus varieties, and even these may be grown outside with careful protection.

Our Mother-Bulbs are extra fine and will produce two or more flowers each.

SINGLE LARGE TRUMPET NARCISSI.

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Bicolor Empress, large and beautiful. White perianth, rich yellow trumpet	$ .30	1.80	17.00
Bicolor Empress Mother-Bulbs	.40	2.75	26.00
Bicolor Victoria, very large and lasting flowers. Creamy white perianth, fluted trumpet of rich yellow. Distinct from other bicolors	.30	2.00	18.00
Bicolor Victoria Mother-Bulbs	.45	3.00	28.00
Emperor, trumpet and perianth both yellow. Extra fine and large	30	1.80	17.00
Emperor Mother-Bulbs	.40	2.75	26.00

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Golden Spur, very large expanded trumpet, yellow perianth. Early and free	.35	2.00	18.00
Golden Spur Mother-Bulbs	.45	3.00	28.00
Princeps, sulphur perianth, yellow trumpet. Fine for forcing. Mother-Bulbs	.30	1.50	14.00
Maximus, golden yellow. Richest color of all	.30	1.80	17.00

MEDIUM TRUMPET NARCISSI.

Barri conspicuus, sulphur, with tinted orange cup. Early. Fine for cutting	$ .25	$1.25	$10.00
Incomparabilis, C. J. Backhouse, soft yellow perianth, long orange cup, suffused red	.30	2.20	20.00
Incomparabilis, Sir Watkin, golden cup, primrose perianth. Largest and most vigorous of all	.30	1.70	16.00
Incomparabilis, Sir Watkin, Mother-Bulbs	.40	2.60	25.00
Leedsi, Mrs. Langtry, white perianth, white cup, edged light yellow. An exquisite thing	.20	1.20	10.00
Leedsi, Mary M. de Graaff, distinct and beautiful. Broad white perianth, primrose cup	.25	1.60	15.00
Trumpet Varieties, mixed, large and medium	.20	1.20	10.00

POETICUS NARCISSI.

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Poeticus (Pheasant's Eye.) White, orange cup, edged scarlet	$ .20	$ .90	$ 8.00
Poeticus ornatus, large and early. White cup, edged scarlet	.20	.90	8.00
Poeticus ornatus Mother-Bulbs	.20	1.10	10.00
Poeticus Grandiflorus, white with tinted crimson cup. The largest Poeticus	.25	1.50	14.00
King Edward VII., (Almira.) An improved ornatus. Very large and early	.40	3.00	28.00

DOUBLE NARCISSI OR DAFFODILS.

Alba plena odorata, pure white flower, very fragrant. Late. Apt to be shy bloomer first year	$ .20	$1.00	$ 9.00
Incomparabilis plenus, (Butter and Eggs.) Lemon and orange	.25	1.30	12.00
Orange Phoenix, (Eggs and Bacon.) White and orange, handsome	.30	1.50	14.00
Sulphur or Silver Phoenix, pale creamy white, delicate and beautiful	.30	1.70	16.00
Van Sion, the fine old double yellow daffodil, selected bulbs	.30	1.90	18.00
Van Sion Mother-Bulbs, extra large, will show two or more flowers each, extra fine for forcing	.45	3.20	30.00

JONQUILS.

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Single, yellow, very fragrant	$ .20	$ .90	$ 7.00
Double, yellow, sweet scented	.25	1.60	15.00
Campernelle, early yellow	.20	.90	7.00
Rugulosus, deep yellow, large, fragrant	.20	1.00	9.00

POLYANTHUS NARCISSI.

Gloriosa, creamy white with orange cup	$ .35	$2.50	$24,00
Grand Monarque, white with lemon eye	.35	2.25	21.00
Grand Soleil d'Or, rich yellow with orange cup	.35	2.25	20.00
White Pearl, pure white	.40	2.50	24.00
Polyanthus Mixed	.25	1.50	14.00

POETAZ NARCISSUS.

New hybrids between Poeticus and Tazetta, when the name Poe-taz. They are healthy, vigorous growers, producing several stems to a bulb and several flowers on a stem, which results in a mass of flowers in a bed planted with them. They are good for either forcing or the garden.

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 2000
Aspasia, pure white with yellow eye, very vigorous	$ .35	$2.50	$24.00
Elvira, white with yellow eye	.35	2.50	24.00

All Narcissi furnished at 6 at a dozen rates, 25 at 100 rates, 250 at 1000 rates.

FRENCH BULBS FOR EARLY FORCING.

The following bulbs, the cultivation of which is not successful in Holland are grown for us in the south of France. They will be ready for delivery about September 1

ROMAN HYACINTHS (Not Hardy).

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
White, fine bulbs	$ .55	$4.00	$38.00
White, extra selected	.65	4.50	44.00

POLYANTHUS NARCISSI (Not Hardy).

Paper White Grandiflora, selected bulbs	.20	1.25	10.00
Paper White Grandiflora, extra fine bulbs	.25	1.50	13.00

FREESIAS (Not Hardy).

Refracta Alba, selected bulbs	.20	1.40	12.00
Refracta Alba, mammoth bulbs	.30	1.75	15.00

HARDY GARDEN LILY.

	each	Per doz.	Per 100
Candidum, the fine old white Madonna lily, large bulbs	$ .12	$1.00	$ 7.00
Candidum, mammoth bulbs	.18	1.50	10.00

Ready for delivery in September.

N. B. Customers whose orders include both French and Dutch bulbs should state whether we shall ship the French bulbs immediately upon arrival or hold them until the Dutch bulbs are ready.

Miscellaneous Bulbs and Roots

CHIONODOXA (Glory of the Snow).

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Gigantea, lavender-blue, white center	$ .20	$1.10	$10.00
Luciliae, sky-blue, white center	.15	.90	8.00
Sardensis, deep blue	.15	.90	8.00

CROCUS.

First size, selected bulbs only.

Albion, violet, striped white	.20	1.00	9.00
Baron von Brunow, dark blue	.20	1.00	9.00
King of the Whites, large, extra	.20	1.00	9.00
Maximilian, pure porcelain blue, largest of all	.25	1.40	12.00
Meyerbeer, blue	.20	1.00	9.00
Mont Blanc, pure white	.20	1.00	9.00
Purpurea Grandiflora, purple	.20	1.10	10.00
Sir Walter Scott, white, striped violet	.20	1.00	9.00
Large Flowered Golden Yellow	.20	1.00	9.00
Mixed, all colors	.15	.70	6.00

GALANTHUS (Snowdrops).

Single	.15	.80	6.50
Double	.20	1.20	11 00
Elwes Giant	.15	.50	6.50

IXIAS

Beautiful half-hardy bulbs for winter forcing. They may also be grown in the garden if well protected.

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Alba mutabilis, rose, changing to white	$ .20	$1.20	$10.00
Crateroides major, rich cerise-scarlet, with black center	.25	1.50	14.00
King of Yellows, yellow, with dark purple eye	.25	1.70	16.00
Wonder, (Rosea plena) soft rose	.15	1.00	9.00
Fine Mixture, all colors	.10	.50	4.00

MUSCARI (Grape Hyacinths).

Alba, white	.20	1.00	9.00
Coerulea, blue	.15	.80	7.00

GLADIOLI (Forcing varieties).

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Colvillei, Blushing Bride, white, pink spots	$ .20	$1.00	$ 9.00
Peach Blossom, delicate pink	.20	1.10	10.00

OXALIS

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Bermuda Buttercup, yellow	.25	1.40	13.00
Bowiei, rosy crimson	.25	1.40	13 00

SCILLA (Squills).

Sibirica, exquisite rich blue, large bulbs	.15	.90	8.00
Sibirica, mammoth bulbs	.20	1.20	10.00

FRITILLARIA IMPERIALIS (Crown Imperials).

	Per doz.	Per 100
Named varieties	$1.75	$15.00
Mixed, various colors	1.20	10.00

SPIREA (Ready in November).

	each	Per doz.	Per 100
Gladstone. grand snow-white plumes	$ .15	$1.40	$11.00
Queen Alexandra, beautiful new variety, soft pink	.18	1.75	14.00

HARDY LILIES (Ready in November).

	each	Per doz.	Per 100
Auratum, white, gold and crimson	$ .20	$1.70	$12.00
Speciosum Album, large, pure white	.25	2.00	15.00
Speciosum Rubrum, white with crimson spots	.18	1.50	11.00
Schrymakersii, white, spotted crimson	.25	1.70	12.00
***Tigrinum Splendens.** orange-red, spotted black	.10	.70	5.00
***Tigrinum flore plene,** double tiger lily	.10	.70	5.00

*Tiger lilies (Ready in October).

PHLOX DECUSSATA.

The modern varieties of Phlox, of which the following are fine examples, are simply indispensable. Hardy, of the easiest culture, and for masses of color, either brilliant or delicate, unapproached by any other garden plants.

Field-Grown.	each	per doz.	per 100
Antonin Mercie, beautiful grayish-lilac; very large flowers	.15	1.40	10.00
Athis, light salmon-pink, with violet eye; tall grower	.15	1.40	10.00
Bridesmaid, pure white, with crimson-carmine eye	.15	1.40	10.00
Coquelicot, the most brilliant orange-scarlet	.15	1.40	10.00
Eclaireur, brilliant rose-carmine with lighter halo	.15	1.40	10.00
Elizabeth Campbell, delicate salmon-pink, with dark pink eye. Fresh and beautiful color	.25	2.00	15.00
Eugene Danzanvilliers, lovely soft lilac-blue; large white center Free bloomer	.15	1.40	10.00
Fraulein von Lassburg, very pure white; individual flowers very large. Extra	.15	1.40	10.00

	Each	Per doz.	Per 100
G. A. Strohlein, scarlet-orange, with bright carmine eye; very large flowers and truss	.20	1.75	12.00
Jeanne d'Arc, a fine, tall late white variety	.10	1.00	6.00
Le Mahdi, deep, reddish metallic violet, with deeper eye; unique color	.20	1.75	12.00
Madame Paul Dutrie, a very soft, delicate shade of pink. very large flowers	.15	1.40	10.00
Miss Lingard, purest white, with faint lilac eye. The earliest of all and blooms all summer	.15	1.40	10.00
Mrs Jenkins, immense heads of purest white. Very early and free-blooming	.20	1.75	12.00
Pantheon, deep cerise-salmon, white center. The standard pink phlox	.15	1.40	10.00
R. P. Struthers, bright, rosy red; claret eye. One of the best	.15	1.40	10.00
Rynstrom, beautiful shade of pink. Immense heads and individual flowers	.25	2.00	15.00
Selma, tender, soft pink with crimson eye. Lovely tall variety	.15	1.40	10.00
Siebold, fine, pure and bright scarlet	.20	1.75	12.00
Snowbird, pure white, with faint pink eye. Free flowering and beautiful	.15	1.40	10.00
Von Hochberg, very large, dark crimson flowers; finest of the color	.20	1.75	12.00

IRIS HISPANICA (Spanish Iris).

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Belle Chinoise, yellow	$ .20	$ .80	$ 7.00
British Queen, white	.20	.80	7.00
Cajanus, deep yellow	.20	,80	7.00
King of the Blues, dark blue	.20	1.00	8.00
Louise, (Perle d' Amour) delicate light blue	.20	1.00	8.00
Mixed, various colors	.15	.60	5.00

IRIS ANGLICA (English Iris).

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per 1000
Marie Cornelia, light blue	.35	2.00	20.00
Mont Blanc, white	.35	2.00	20.00
Othello, dark blue	.35	2.00	20.00
Mixed, various colors	.25	1.40	12.00

IRIS PSEUDACORUS

	each	Per doz.	Per 100
Yellow Water Flag. Fine for moist places	10.	.70	5.00

IRIS KAEMPFERI (Japanese Iris)

	each	Per doz.	Per 100
Named Varieties, Mixed colors	15	1.20	9.00

IRIS GERMANICA (German Iris).

The German Iris is perfectly hardy and grows luxuriantly everywhere, particularly if in a dry and sunny location. Its spikes of flowers are deliciously fragrant and fine for cutting. If cut when the lower buds show color they will open finely in the house. Be particular in planting to barely cover the rhizomes, or large, fleshy roots.

	Each	Per doz.	Per 100
Aurea. Rich chrome-yellow. One of the best of the color	.15	1.40	10.00
Canary Bird (Flavescens). Soft yellow, sweetly scented flowers; fine for cutting	.12	.90	6.50
Celeste. Satiny azure-blue; one of the most beautiful	.15	1.00	7.00
Cherion. Lilac and violet-mauve	.12	.90	6.50
Florentina alba. Soft shade of pearly gray, almost white. Free and early bloomer; a gem for cutting	.12	.90	6.50
Honorabile. Upper petals rich, golden yellow; lower petals mahogany-brown	.12	.90	6.50
Madame Chereau. Pure white petals, daintily bordered with clear blue. Very distinct and delicate	.12	.90	6.50
Mrs. H. Darwin. Upper and lower petals clear, satiny white, slightly netted at the base with violet. Very free-flowering and lovely	.12	.90	6.50
Mrs. Neubronner. Deep, golden yellow; extra fine	.20	2.00	15.00
Pallida Dalmatica. Popularly regarded as the best of German Irises Immense, clear, light lavender-blue; tall and fragrant	.20	2.00	15.00
Pallida odoratissima. Handsome, fragrant flowers of light blue	.15	1.25	9.00
Pallida speciosa. Dark lavender, shading to light purple	.15	1.25	9.00
Queen of May. Lovely, soft rose-lilac; almost pink. A distinct and beautiful variety	.15	1.40	10.00
Sappho. Light, shading to darker violet	.12	.90	6.50
Mixed German Iris, various colors	.10	.60	4.00

IRIS SIBIRICA (Siberian Iris).

Orientalis, rich violet-blue; tall and early	.10	.70	5.00
Orientalis "Snow Queen," white	.15	1.20	9.00
Sibirica, the type, fine blue. Dwarfer and later than the others	.10	.70	5.00

Peonies

We consider peonies to be the most satisfactory decorative garden plants under cultivation today. In beauty, color and fragrance they rival the finest roses and are far superior to them in vigor, hardiness and freedom from disease and insect pests. Our varieties are of the best and the plants are well established clumps freshly dug on the day of shipment. (We do not send "divisions").

Peonies may be planted at any time during the autumn but September is esteemed the best.

	Each	Per doz.
Agnes Mary Kelway. Large and good. Light rose and cream	$ .50	$ 5.00
Agida. A good bright red peony for garden effect	.40	4.00
Berlioz. Large, compact rose-type bloom. Bright currant-red center, tinted rose and amaranth	.50	5.00
Canari. Globular flower. Guard petals white, tinted pale pink, Center amber-white. Free bloomer and fragrant	.35	4.00
Charles Leveque. Very full, compact ball-shaped bloom, delicate, soft salmon-rose. Very fresh color. Beautiful for any purpose	.65	7.00
Couronne d'Or. Snowy white with yellowish reflex; light carmine edges on center petals. A lovely late peony	.70	7.50
Delicatissima. Large, full, convex bloom of very clear, delicate pink. Vigorous grower, free bloomer and very fragrant	.50	5.00
Duc d'Aremberg. A fine dark peony and the latest of all to bloom. Deep rose-purple	.35	3.50
Duke of Wellington. Large globular bloom. White guards and sulphur center. Ideal habit, strong grower, fragrant	.40	4.00
Duchesse de Nemours. Very fine cup-shaped bloom; soft sulphur white, fading to pure white. Exceptionally pretty in the bud. One of the best of the white sorts	.50	5.00
Eugene Verdier. Flesh-pink shaded with creamy salmon. Free, fragrant and beautiful	1.00	10.00
Eugenie Verdier. Pale hydrangea-pink; center flecked crimson. Fragrant and an extra-fine variety	.70	7.50
Felix Crousse. Large, massive, compact, brilliant red peony. Esteemed the finest of the color	.85	9.00
Festiva Maxima. The finest early white peony in existence. Immense, shell-formed blooms, pure white with an occasional blood-crimson spot. Very fragrant. Indispensable in any collection	.55	6.00
Lady Bramwell. Silvery rose. Very free bloomer, Good for cutting	.50	5.00
La Rosiere. Cream with sulphur center. When half open very like an enormous tea rose. Very striking	.40	4.00
L'Indispensable. New. Full, globular rose type. Lovely blush-white shaded deeper in center. A high-class, beautiful flower	1.00	10.00
Madame Calot. Very large, rose type. Delicate pink with darker center. Fragrant. Very free bloomer. A fine early peony	.50	5.00

	Each	Per doz.
Madame d'Aremberg. Brilliant crimson. One of the finest of the color	.50	5.00
Madame Boulanger. Very large, full bloom; glossy, soft pink, shaded lilac, silvery flesh border. Late	.70	7.00
Madame Forel. Immense, compact, ball-shaped bloom, of clear, deep unvarying rose. Strong stems, very fragrant. In every way one of the best	.70	7.00
Marechal MacMahon. Dark, brilliant solferino-red. Fragrant and free-blooming	.55	6.00
Marie Lemoine. Enormous, solid ivory-white, deepening to chamois in center. Very fragrant. This exquisite flower stand absolutely at the head of late white peonies	.55	6.00
Mons Jules Elie. Ideal, glossy flesh-pink, shading deeper, with silvery reflex. Vigorous grower, free bloomer, very fragrant. Scarcely rivalled for either cut-flowers or garden decoration	1.00	10.00
***Officinalis mutabilis.** Glossy pink, changing to white	.30	3.00
***Officinalis rosea.** Large, double, lively pink	.30	3.00
***Officinalis rosea superba.** Large, full, convex flower. Very soft, fresh pink. Extra	.50	6.00
***Officinalis rubra.** The old favorite, most brilliant red of all peonies	.25	2.50
President Garfield. A very attractive dark red peony. Good bloomer	.35	4.00
Queen Victoria. Still regarded by florists as the standard white for cut-flowers. Milk-white, sometimes slightly flecked crimson, Fragrant and most profuse bloomer on the list	.30	3.00
Rubra Triumphans. Very dark brilliant crimson. Valuable landscape variety on account of its rich color	.40	4.00
Solfatare. A beautiful creamy-yellow peony. Very distinct and desirable variety. Free bloomer and fragrant	1.00	10.00
Souvenir de L'Exposition Universelle. Clear cherry with silvery reflex. Distinct color, fragrant	.50	5.00
***Tenuifolia flore pleno.** Very brilliant crimson double flowers about the size of a rose. Foliage very finely cut	.50	5.00
***Tenuifolia simplex.** Same as preceding except with single flowers	.30	3.00

*The Officinalis and Tenuifolia peonies are valuable for garden purposes because they come into full bloom two weeks or more earlier than the others and their brilliant blossoms serve to prolong the peony season.

Hardy Perennials

Field-Grown Plants

	each	Per doz.	Per 100
Aquilegia Haylodgensis, beautiful	$ .12	$1.20	$9.00
Aquilegia chrysantha (Yellow longspurred Columbine)	.15	1.30	10.00
Aquilegia coerulea (Blue longspurred Columbine)	.10	.90	7.00
Chrysanthemum leucanthemum, (Shasta Daisy)	.12	1.20	9.00
Chrysanthemum leucanthemum, (Shasta Daisy, var. "Alaska")	.15	1.50	10.00
Chrysanthemum Maximum, (Moonpenny Daisy)	.10	1.00	8.00
Coreopsis grandiflora	.10	.95	7.00
Delphinium formosum, (Perennial Larkspur)	.10	1.10	8.00
Delphinium Chinense, Chinese Larkspur)	.10	.85	6.00
Delphinium elatum, (Bee Larkspur)	.10	1.10	8.00
Delphinium Hybrids of "Belladonna"	.20	1.75	13.00
Dianthus barbatus, Sweet William)	.10	.90	7.00
Dianthus plumarius, (Garden Pink)	.10	.85	6.50
Dielytra Spectabilis, (Bleeding Heart)	.15	1.20	9.00
Eryngium planum, a lovely sea holly. Dainty pale blue flowers	.10	.90	7.00
Funkia Coerulea, (Blue Day Lily)	.10	.90	7.00
Funkia Subcordata, (White Day Lily)	.12	1.20	9.00
Gaillardia, (Blanket Flower)	.10	.85	6.00
Hemerocallis flava, (Yellow Day Lily)	.10	.80	6.00
Hemerocallis fulva, (Orange Day Lily) var. **Kwanso**	.10	.80	6.00
Hemerocallis fulva, (Orange Day Lily) single variety	.10	.80	6.00
Hibiscus Moscheutos (Crimson Hybrids)	.15	1.20	9.00
Hibiscus Moscheutos, (Rose Mallow, pink)	.12	1.00	8.00
Hibiscus Moscheutos, (Var. Crimson Eye)	.12	1.00	8.00
Hollyhocks, (Single and Double, various colors)	.10	1.00	8.00
Hollyhocks (Variety "Allegheny")	.10	1.00	8.00
Lychnis Chalcedonica, (Scarlet Lamp Flower)	.10	1.00	8.00
Pyrethrum roseum, hybrids, various	.10	.90	7.00
Rudbeckia laciniata, (Golden Glow)	.10	.80	6.00
Yucca filamentosa, (Thread and Needle Plant)	.15	1.20	9.00

Yucca filamentosa, larger clumps according to size, at 50 and 75 cents each.

TERMS OF BUSINESS.

PRICES.

The prices quoted in this catalogue are for bulbs and plants of first quality only, true to name and in sound and healthy condition, properly packed and delivered to the Express or Freight office in Deerfield, free of all charges for packing or cartage. Express or freight charges for transportation, must however, be paid by the purchaser.

SHIPPING

The opinion is prevalent that plants and bulbs can be sent cheaply by Parcel Post, but such is not the case. The rates of the Express companies have lately been reduced, and it is not only quicker and safer to send packages through them but almost invariably cheaper also.

We shall, therefore, **ALWAYS SHIP BY EXPRESS** unless we have positive orders to the contrary, and we **guarantee the safe delivery** only on packages so shipped.

In those instances where our customers make special request that their goods be sent by Parcel Post we will do so provided sufficient postage is remitted.

Because we have every confidence in our stock as represented, and are perfectly willing to correct any mistakes made by us in the filling of orders, and to make good loss arising from any cause for which we justly may be held responsible, we have omitted the usual "Non-Warranty" clause from this catalogue.

At the same time we do not assume a liability beyond the price of the goods purchased, nor for failures which arise from conditions wholly beyond our control, such as subsequent improper treatment, unfavorable climatic conditions, etc.

Orders from unknown correspondents must be accompanied by cash or satisfactory references.

We prefer not to receive C. O. D. orders, but if such are sent they must be accompanied by cash to one-fourth of the value of the goods ordered, to insure acceptance.

A discount of 5 per cent on all orders amounting to $5 or more will be allowed if received before July 25th, if money accompanies the order; after July 25th, 2 per cent may be deducted.

Money should be sent only by safe methods, preferably postal or express money orders payable to **FRANKEN BROTHERS** at **Deerfield, Illinois,** or drafts on Chicago or New York.

SPECIAL NOTICE!

All persons to whom this catalogue is sent will also receive, in January next, our Price List of Summer-Flowering Bulbs and Hardy Perennials for Spring planting.

We have for years supplied our bulbs and plants to many of the large estates in the beautiful suburban towns on the lake north of Chicago. This fact alone is indicative of the quality of our stock.

TELEPHONE

We may be conveniently reached by telephone from Chicago and the towns along the "North Shore."

Our number is Deerfield 227J.

We shall be glad to supply Holland-grown bulbs and plants not named in this catalogue, to be ordered prior to July 25, and will quote prices for the varieties desired upon application.

Appointments may be made with our Mr. Albert Franken who will furnish any information desired and carefully execute all orders and commissions.

6 or more of any one kind of bulbs or plants offered in this catalogue will be sold at the dozen rate and 25 or more at the 100 rate.